IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADENTARK OFFICE Group Art Unit: 1652 icants: James Travis et al. Serial No.: 10/008,355 Examiner: S. Swope Docket No.: Filed: November 8, 2001 235.00440101 Confirmation No.: 4382 Title: DIPEPTIDYLPEPTIDASES AND METHODS OF USE JAN 1 5 2003 **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** TECH CENTER 1600/2900 P.O. Box 2327 Arlington, VA 22202 We are transmitting the following documents along with this Transmittal Sheet (which is submitted in triplicate): Small entity status is entitled to be asserted in the above-identified application. X An itemized return postcard. A Petition for Extension of Time for month(s) and a check in the amount of \$\\$ for the required fee. $\overline{\mathbf{x}}$ A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (1 pg); a copy of 0 application; 1449 forms (1 pg); and copies of 2 documents cited on the 1449 forms. A check in the amount of \$__, representing _

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In accordance with the continuing duty of candor and good faith that is to be demonstrated before the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), enclosed are copies of two documents cited in a European search report which are not already of record in the present matter. Enclosed for the Examiner's information is a copy of the search report with the documents. Also enclosed herewith are copies of documents which Applicants bring to the Examiner's attention as possibly being of interest in connection with the above-identified patent application. Consideration of each of the documents listed on the attached 1449 form(s) is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of MPEP §609, Applicants further request that a copy of the 1449 form(s), marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next Official Communication.

Applicants also wish to bring to the attention of the Examiner the information included in the Declaration Under 35 U.S.C. §1.132, submitted herewith, as possibly being of interest in connection with the above-identified patent application. Consideration of the information included in the Declaration Under 35 U.S.C. §1.132 is respectfully requested.

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The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' Representatives at the belowlisted telephone number, if they can be of any assistance during prosecution of the present application.

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